

FINE WEATHER TODAY

"Fair and warmer" for today is the story the winds waited for the weather man yesterday. Consequently, the atmosphere at the churches should be bright and the air will be soft and balmy. During a few hours yesterday the weather was threatening, but in the afternoon the skies cleared, a precursor of the fine weather scheduled for today.

It is expected that this section will now enjoy several days of good weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 42 degrees; minimum, 19 degrees. The record at other points:

	Max.	Min.
Denver	48	23
Grand Junction	42	22
Helena	49	23
Pocatello	44	24
Modena	42	22
Winemica	43	22

CITY AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

Mrs. Frances McCreary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCreary, who was operated on for appendicitis some time ago, is doing very nicely, which will be good news to the many friends of the little lady and her parents.

State Superintendent of Schools A. C. Nelson returned yesterday from Erie, where he went to attend the Carbon County Teachers' Institute. The superintendent states that the institute was a most successful one and that the teachers were thoroughly successful.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Joseph Bouton will be held today at 12 o'clock in the Seventeenth ward meeting-house. Friends desiring to do so may view the remains at 10:30 o'clock this morning at the family residence, 132 North West Temple street.

Traveling men who have come here from Colorado all report that business in that State is in a bad condition. The labor troubles which have been rampant have kept everything quiet in trade and business, although they have made enough noise in other ways.

Ray McCarty, the 7-year-old son of Justice McCarty, underwent an operation for the removal of an abscess that had formed on the lower lip of the child. The operation was performed by Dr. H. N. Mayo and his patient is getting along nicely.

The next monthly meeting of the Benevolent Association of Nauvoo Legion will be held on Monday evening, March 14th, at the regular place, in the bishop's office, titling yard. All members are requested to be present. A short lecture will be delivered by William Sanders on the life of Joseph Smith the prophet.

James Jones was brought down from the Titanic yesterday to the Keogh-Wright hospital with a fractured skull. The accident happened through a bucket falling down the shaft at the May Day mine where he was working. He is still unconscious, and his condition is naturally very serious.

David Saunders, a young man employed as driver for the Salt Lake City Soda Water company, was yesterday arrested for driving too fast over one of the principal crossings of the city, he, as usual, being engaged in making one of his quick trips. Mr. Saunders was taken to court to appear in court tomorrow to answer to the charge.

The Colored Woman's Progressive club held its regular meeting at the residence of Mrs. P. H. Robinson. A "Charity Ball" was the subject of discussion. It was decided by the majority of the members present that the club give a charity ball for the colored poor of the city. After adjournment Mrs. Martin served an excellent meal.

At the Sunday evening lecture at 7:20 at Unity hall, Prof. Bennett of the State university will give a talk on "Clyde." This lecture will be illustrated by stereoscopic views showing points of interest visited by Prof. Bennett during a two-week stay in Egypt. Vocal and instrumental music will add to the attractions of the evening.

Articles of incorporation of the Volker-Sawyer Lumber company of Ogden were recorded in the office of the Secretary of State yesterday. The capital stock of the company is \$5000, divided into 50 shares of the value of \$100 each. Joseph Sawyer is president of the company, John W. P. Volker, vice-president, and William Sawyer, secretary and treasurer.

A wholesale drug corporation with a capital stock of \$3000 or \$3500 is one of the new business propositions in immediate prospect for Salt Lake. It is said that one of the strongest firms of this class, which is already financially strong, will form the nucleus for the new concern, which will not only do an extensive jobbing business but will also manufacture various drugs and chemicals which are now brought in from the East.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

G. J. Aiken of Pocatello is stopping at the Wilson.

W. W. Byrne, the Western representative of the powder trust, is in town, again, at the Cullen.

Kenneth O. Kyes, the Utah traveling agent of the Rock Island route, is in town again, at the Cullen.

Thomas P. Rigney left last week for New Mexico, where he will examine some mining properties for Eastern parties.

Hamilton's opening next week.

Merchants' luncheon, 12 noon to 2 p. m., at the Crystal Cafe, 239 South Main street.

LAW BLOCKS THE WAY OF BOOK APPROPRIATION

Mayor Morris made public yesterday his veto of the appropriation of \$2500 for the 19,000 Sloan & Blair books. The Mayor gives the following as the reasons for his veto:

"Being in favor of such an advertising medium, but questioning the absolute legality of such an appropriation, I have requested the city attorney's advice upon the subject and, in a written opinion, in answer to communication, he says:

"I am compelled to say that the city is forbidden, by statute, to devote any money to such a purpose."

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CANAL COMPANY FALLS INTO LINE

Stockholders of the Utah & Salt Lake Agree to Co-Operate With the Federal Government.

Stockholders of the Utah and Salt Lake Canal company, at a meeting held yesterday in the Fourteenth ward meeting-house, gave practically their unanimous indorsement to the action of the directors of all of the canal companies in accepting fifty second-feet of water in lieu of their primary rights in connection with the Utah lake government improvement.

The meeting was presided over by Peter Larson, and George C. Lambert acted as secretary. The Government proposition was discussed quite freely, many of the stockholders having had a not very clear idea of what it contemplated. Its important features were explained with considerable detail by Prof. Swenson of the reclamation service and by State Engineer Doremus and other members of the improvement committee, and with a better understanding of the project all seeming opposition rapidly vanished.

Before the subject had been explained to the satisfaction of all present, one stockholder introduced a resolution to the effect that the Utah and Salt Lake Canal company demand from the Government eighty second-feet of water for its primary right, but when it was shown that the demand was altogether out of reason and would defeat the whole proposition in the air again, the resolution was defeated by a very decisive vote. Later the resolution accepting fifty second-feet of water for the company's rights was passed with scarcely a dissenting vote, and with nearly a full representation of stockholders present.

The next meeting to take action on the Utah lake project will be that of the stockholders of the East Jordan Canal company, to be held in Sandy on Friday, March 15, at 2 p. m.

WAY OPEN FOR BRIGHT UTAH BOYS

Another fine opportunity is open to some bright Utah boy to get a good education at the expense of Uncle Sam, in addition to being placed in line for high honors. Senator Kearns has nominated John C. Littlefield to the position of midshipman at Annapolis. He now desires to get the names of three candidates for alternates. If, for any reason, Littlefield should fail to secure admission to the Naval academy, then the best of the three alternates would be named. In addition to this Senator Kearns announces that he will, in a short time, name a cadet for West Point, and the one of the three alternates for Littlefield, who stands the highest, will have the first chance for the West Point appointment. Those who desire to be considered candidates for this honor should write at once to United States District Attorney Joseph Lippman, Salt Lake, giving their names in full, their place and date of birth and present postoffice address.

THE DRIFT OF POLITICS.

The meeting of the citizens of Salt Lake City to protest against the impunities of Utah politicians at Washington was the subject of discussion. There had been intimations of such a meeting, but there were few who felt that anything definite would come from the discussion. But it is now said that there is the strongest probability that the city will witness one of the most expressive mass meetings of Gentiles within a few days that has ever been seen in the State. There is no questioning the fact that there are hundreds of prominent men and women who feel that the State has been slandered, and they insist that Congress should know that the statements of the politicians, to the effect that the people of Utah condone the open violation of the laws, are not borne out by the real conditions.

The fact is there is a great amount of "liberal party" talk. And it seems at this time that political lines may be eliminated, as in the old days, and that the church will be bitterly and forcefully opposed so long as it keeps a hand in the temporal affairs of the city, and especially so long as the church dominates the public schools. One thing that is said to have made the most of the other night was the absence of overheatedness. The speakers, while earnest, deplored rather than welcomed the meeting. They said that it had been the hope that the church would keep the faith and would not try to control the business and the politics of the city and the State, but that for several years the course of the church had become so tyrannical that there is nothing left for the American people of Utah to do than to fight.

Salt Lake Democrats are looking around for a means by which they may around the party of Mulvey and Jackson, the new consolidation committee officers. It is said that the election of these men has provoked more profanity than any one thing that the local Democracy has had to deal with since the rainy days of Bryanism.

It was reported yesterday that James H. Anderson, elected as a Republican County Commissioner, and at present chairman of the Republican State central committee, had appointed C. M. Jackson, secretary of the county and city Democratic committee, to a position in the County Commissioners' office. Supposed, if true, that, in the opinion of Chairman Anderson, there are no Republicans here who are either competent or deserving to hold such a position as Jackson is reported to have secured.

An interesting conference is reported to have occurred in the office of the City Street Supervisor on Friday between ex-Congressman Sutherland, Internal Revenue Collector Callister and ex-City Auditor Reiser. It is reported that at the conference a part of the delegation to the Republican national convention was agreed upon.



PRETTY LITTLE ST. MARY'S GIRLS WHO WILL SING FOR CHARITY.

PRICES OF SLACK NEVER CAME DOWN

The Salt Lake association of the National Association of Stationary Engineers of Utah has addressed to the Commercial club a set of resolutions asking the club to intercede with the railroad companies and the coal companies in behalf of the users of yard slack coal, to the end that this commodity may be reduced in price to correspond with prices of other grades of coal. It is alleged that slack was advanced in price at the time of the "umpressantness" last fall, but that when President Harrison gave his famous reduction order slack was in some way overlooked, having been held at the war figure ever since.

Local dealers claim that they are not guilty in the premises, alleging that they are making only the same old profit of 25 cents a ton on slack, with a larger investment than before, so that the matter is up to the railroads and mines. The present price of yard slack at the mines is \$1 a ton, the freight is \$1.75, and the drayage is figured at 25 cents, leaving the dealers their profit of 25 cents a ton on the article, which is sold in carload lots at \$2.25.

The price of slack does not affect many poor people directly, its principal use being in manufacturing plants, in buildings heated by steam and other places where stationary engines are used. The engineers have taken up the matter on the principle of the identity of interests of the employer and the employee.

Pneumonia Weather.
From the New York Herald.

"The wide prevalence of coughs, colds, grip and pneumonia marks an experience of severe and protracted winter weather the like of which we have not seen for many a year. The stubborn persistence of catarrhal troubles is also marked feature of the depressing influences which follow a long siege of rapidly changing low and raw temperatures. The man is fortunate indeed who has not been at some time since Christmas troubled to his bed with a 'cold' of some sort that he cannot succeed in curing. This condition of affairs has existed for months, and the end is not yet. In fact, it behooves all careful people to be on their guard against all catarrhal troubles more than ever."

"March is a typical pneumonia month and gives a high rate of mortality for the disease. One reason for this is that after our long and hard winter the system loses its natural resistance to cold. Only the hardy ones are likely to withstand the strain, and even these are by no means safe when grip is increasing almost to epidemic manifestation."

"The ordinary 'cold,' the grip and pneumonia belong to the same family of winter diseases. Although they may be excited by different causes, the influences, their ultimate effects are the same when the attacks are sufficiently severe."

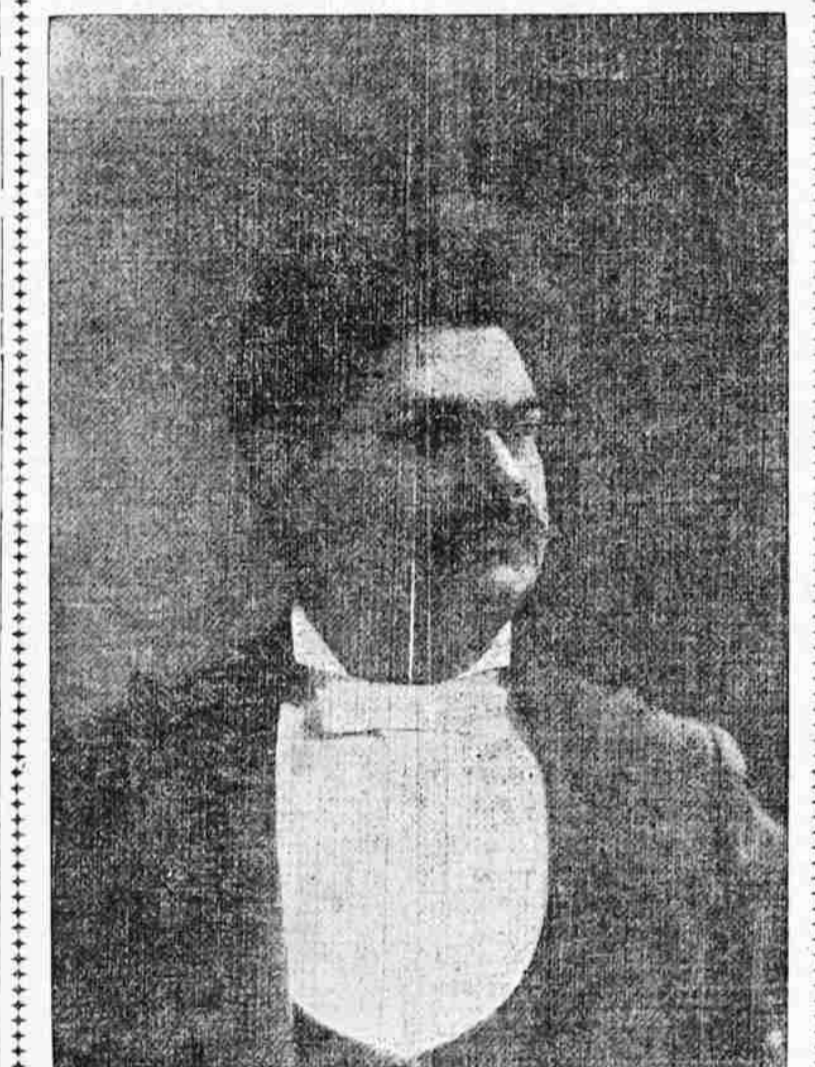
"An acute catarrh is always the result of undue exposure to low temperatures. The rapid cooling of the surface, when not balanced by proper reaction, produces congestion and inflammation of the nasal and bronchial membranes. Obviously such an ailment is not communicable, in the ordinary sense, from one individual to another. As the slightest 'cold' predisposes the individual to attacks of the most severe affections, the necessity for its quick cure need not be enforced."

All these facts emphasize the necessity of extraordinary precautionary measures against the ordinary cold. Every one cannot change his climate at will but may make the most of what he has at home, viz., take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the first indication of the cold appears. It not only cures a cold quickly but counteracts any tendency of the cold to result in pneumonia. This fact has been fully proven. During the epidemics of colds and grip of the past few years, no case of either of these diseases having resulted in pneumonia when this remedy was used has been reported to the manufacturers, which shows conclusively that it is not only the best and quickest cure for colds but a certain preventive of that dangerous disease.

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PROF. S. H. CLARK WILL LECTURE HERE



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The above is a cut of Prof. S. H. Clark of the University of Chicago, who will give a series of dramatic readings and interpretations, beginning tomorrow evening, in Barratt hall. He is brought here by the University of Utah, the L. D. S. university and the city teachers.

CAPT. JAMES E. BRETT GETS FINAL PROMOTION

Gallant Fort Douglas Soldier Who Won Honors in Cuba and the Philippines, Dies From Effects of Wounds Received at San Juan Hill.

Information has just reached Salt Lake friends of the death of Capt. James E. Brett, U. S. A., retired, formerly an officer of the Twenty-fourth stationed at Fort Douglas. At the time of his death he was on duty as military instructor in the United States Military Institute at Oklahoma City, where, with his family, he went after being discharged for disability in line of duty on December 23, 1899.

Capt. Brett was born in North Carolina fifty-one years ago, and entered the army a young man as a private in company K, Twelfth United States Infantry, on September 23, 1870. Two years later he was appointed hospital steward and served in that capacity until June 24, 1880, when he was advanced to Second Lieutenant in the Twenty-fourth Infantry. On December 23, 1887, he was again promoted and became a First Lieutenant in the same regiment, and held that rank until the Spanish-American war. On April 26, 1898, he was commissioned as Captain, and a few weeks later went with his regiment to Cuba. He took part in the

operations about Santiago and participated in the famous infantry charge at San Juan hill. While leading his command up the heights he fell severely wounded.

After the Cuban campaign, Capt. Brett returned to Fort Douglas, where he remained for a short time before going to the Philippines, where he served with honor. The wounds received in Cuba, however, and the climate of the Philippines undid him for service, and he was retired on December 23, 1899.

Capt. Brett was a man of strong personality and marked ability as a tactician, while his genial, kindly disposition caused him to be held in high esteem by a large circle of friends. He is survived by a widow, a son and daughter. The interment took place at the Presidio, near San Francisco.

Day's Doings in Society

Mrs. Harry Knight has returned to the city after a month's visit with relatives and friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Hirth are entertaining Miss Martha Hirth of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Quigley have returned from a trip to New York and West Baden Springs, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hansen announce the engagement of their daughter Clara to Mr. C. K. Sims of this city, the marriage to take place the second Tuesday in April.

The Highland Boy Whist club was entertained Tuesday evening by Mrs. Warden, McKenize and Miss Dobbie at the home of Mrs. Warden. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lund, Mr. and Mrs. Kee, Mr. and Mrs. Fenkle, Mr. and Mrs. Osler, Mr. and Mrs. Lundquist, Mr. Craig, Miss Burns, Mrs. Booth, Mr. Hood, Mr. Groves, Mr. Osler won ladies' first prize, Miss Burns second, Mr. Fenkle gentlemen's first, Mr. Osler second. After cards, refreshments were served.

Mrs. T. J. Bult, assisted by Mrs. J. Yeats, will entertain the ladies of the G. I. A. at a Kensington on Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. T. J. Bult, 629 West Third North street.

Melvin Naylor delightfully entertained the Bell Glee club at his home Tuesday evening. Sixty-three was the leading game, in which prizes were won by Flora Jones, Edna Alley and Granway Parry. Those present were the Misses Ethel Wiscomb, Ivy Evans, Edna Alley, Selma Stanford, Flora Jones, Clara Arthur, Hill, Richard Robinson, Melvin Naylor, Lester Robinson, Granway Parry and Fred Jack. The room was decorated with flowers and leaves.

One of the enjoyable parties of the week was that of Tuesday evening, when Miss Effie Cavanaugh and Miss Anna Schade entertained a number of their friends at pit. Boxes, carnations, palms and greens were used in profusion in the beautiful decorations, red and green being carried out in all the rooms. The guests of the evening were the Misses Neely Ensign, Sigrid Pedersen, Ella Ensign, May Lewis, Florence Hunston, Anna Henderson, Edith Walker, Call Hall, Gertrude Ross, Carrie Wittenberg, Ester Sines, Freda Hall, Louise Schade, Bessie Badger, Messrs. Jack Hoffman, Ralph Badger, Anker Schade, Alex Lawson, Putnam Duncan, Fred Schade, David Naylor, Caleb Chalmers, Sammie Tablin, John Sullivan, L. Dolan, Frank McCarty, Fred Lewis, Joe Masters, Roy Petty.

The Wednesday soiree at Christensen's continues to have a good attendance and seems to strike a popular chord with that part of the dancing public who enjoy an informal affair.

Mrs. Emma W. Hanson was called East Thursday through the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. Dougherty, of Champaign, Ill.

Mrs. Louise Wingard of 501 North Third West street entertained the P. N. G. club at her home Thursday, March 10th. After the usual business, the members spent the afternoon in pleasant conversation and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were Mesdames Maroney, Jefferies, Ulmer, Nickerson, Stair, Watkins, Gentry, Pendleton, Fischer, Price, Barryman, Harvey, Fox, Darke, Boes, Hadley, Jenkins, Allen, Cantwell, Watrous, Sudheimer and Wingard.

Miss Carrie Vincent will return today from Denver, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Jones.

Millinery Opening.
Mrs. E. F. Deal will open at her new location, 134 South Main, Monday and Tuesday, March 21st and 22nd, with all the new spring styles, including lovely French hats and delicate creations of her own workroom, which is under the supervision of a lady from New York city of exceptional ability.

PRESIDENT ANGELL'S STAY IN SALT LAKE

President Angell of the University of Michigan will arrive in this city on Wednesday evening. On account of the recent death of his wife, the entertainments that have been gotten up in his honor will be as informal as possible. During his visit he will stay at the University club, and on Friday evening the club will give a reception, during which he will deliver a short address. On Saturday morning President Angell will address the teachers of the public schools of this city at the West High school. While he is here he will also visit the University of Utah, in accordance with a promise made some time ago to President Kingsbury, and will address the students there also. The committee here to arrange an organ recital at the Tabernacle also

AT THE HOTELS.

Yesterday's arrivals at the Cullen were: Miss L. Mitchell, Ogden; J. A. Hunt, Pueblo, Colo.; M. A. Bausch, Salmon, Ida.; N. Ludeman and wife, Sioux City, Ia.; P. J. Mommern and wife, Anthon, Ia.; J. Schaefer and wife, Johnson Creek, Wis.; Hugh Medee, Provo; George Blaine, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Kyes, Denver; Allen Luzen, Hartford, Conn.; E. Sargent, Menominee, Mich.; E. H. Glatta and wife, Clinton, Ia.; T. C. Barner, Mary N. Barner, South Bend, Ind.; Nat. O. Walker, J. W. B. Burt, Denver; H. D. C. C. Omaha; N. O. Kyes, Denver; W. R. Runbaugh, Farmington; E. W. Griffiths, Chicago; J. W. Burt, Denver; H. D. C. C. Omaha; Ed. O'Neil, Challa, Ida.; John Campbell, Omaha; E. W. Davis, Vernal; H. C. Marshall, Algona, Ia.; Seth Menar and wife, Cleveland, O.; L. Jurgens and wife, New York; George H. Tuttle, Mohawk, N. Y.; F. Root and wife, Shelbyville, Wis.; W. J. Gramont, Kentucky; A. Snyder, S. J. Jones, Duluth; A. P. Cuddy, E. T. Anderson, W. F. Nelson, Chicago; E. H. Newport, Buffalo; Mrs. Darwin, Sedalia, Mo.; Fred Merrill, Denver; S. W. Syster, Troy, N. Y.; Joseph Gunther, J. N. Cook, Ruppella Kipp, Chicago; John E. Strum, San Francisco; B. D. Aiken, Pocatello; J. R. Bell, New York; L. Cohen, San Francisco.

BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE TO MRS. TREGGA

A most beautiful tribute to the dead was paid Elizabeth Jane Tregga, wife of Isaac Tregga, the well-known mining man of Park city, by the ladies representing the local order of the Eastern Star, at the graveside yesterday. The threatened inclemency of the weather was provided for at the grave by a canopy that sheltered the many friends who went to the cemetery. Dean Edlie conducted the services, grave the services were conducted by the lady members of the order to which Mrs. Tregga belonged. A good woman has gone to her rest and her demise will be sincerely mourned.

Wait for display of imported goods and hats next week. Hamilton's.

PRATT IS CHOSEN TO SUCCEED DOW

State Board of Corrections Selects the Ex-Chief of Police to Be Penitentiary Warden.

At a meeting of the State Board of Corrections yesterday afternoon Arthur Pratt of this city was chosen Warden of the penitentiary. The position pays \$800 per year and such profits, emoluments, et cetera, as may be derived from boarding the prisoners. It is understood that the selection of Mr. Pratt was at the instance of Gov. Wells, at least that he was the choice of the Governor.

There is much dissatisfaction over the selection on the part of those Republicans who refused to bolt the municipal nominations at the election in this city last fall, and who stood by the straight Republican ticket.

Dr. A. C. Young of this city was a candidate for the position, and his friends assert that he was some time since assured of appointment. Other applicants were Andrew Burt, T. C. Wright, Orange Seeley, Charles Wilcken and Charles Andrews.

Arthur Pratt has held the office of Chief of Police of Salt Lake City and also a term as Warden of the penitentiary. He was also superintendent of census for the State of Utah in 1900.

UNION CONVENTION OF CHRISTIAN WORKERS

On April 1st and 2nd a union convention of the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies of the State will be held in this city. A meeting of the various committees will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the First Methodist church, when plans for the convention will be made. Following is a list of the committees named, including representatives from both of the Christian young people's societies:

Recognition—Charles Hahn, chairman; Miss May Moorhead, Miss Ruby Armstrong, Benjamin Trapp, Miss Bertha Moore, C. E. Marks, Miss Sylvia Woodmansee, Miss Ada Betts, G. M. Frazer, Miss Beale Williamson.

Entertainment—Mary Mayne, chairman; Miss Harriet Lane, Miss Nannie Clayton, Arthur Bowen, Henry Jacob, Miss Hattie M. Wharff, Miss Mamie Bank, Edw. McKee, Miss J. Edith Evans.

Decorations—Miss Louise Bena, chairman; Miss Myra Sowles, Gilbert Walter, W. H. Van Dorn, Miss Gertrude Guley, John Chase.

Union Executive Committee—Horace H. Smith, chairman; Miss Myra Sowles, secretary.

ADMIRAL SCHLEY'S BROTHER VISITS UTAH MINES

Grant B. Schley of the New York banking firm of Moore & Schley, and a brother of Rear-Admiral Schley, was in the city yesterday for a few minutes. Mr. Schley arrived in his private car, "Twilight," yesterday morning over the Rio Grande, and soon afterward left for a trip to Bingham to inspect mining properties in which he is interested. He is expected to stay in the evening, the distinguished visitor again boarded his private car, which was attached to Rio Grande of Utah No. 4, leaving for the East at 3:45 p. m.

Among the Utah mining propositions in which Mr. Schley is apparently interested is the Tuttle Mining and Development and other companies, and it is believed that his flying trip may have had to do with important developments which may be contemplated by this or other companies with which he is connected. The gentleman claimed, however, that there was nothing of importance to be attached to his visit and declined to discuss its real object.

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